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St. James's, June 21.

AN humble Addreſs from the Shire of Caithneſs, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Breadalbane, Heritable Sheriff and Juſticiar of the ſaid Shire.

Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

Berne, June 19. On the 15th Inſtant arrived here a Deputy from Geneva, who is to concert Meaſures with this Canton for accommodating the Differences ſtill ſubſiſting between the King of Sicily and that Republick. This Canton has received Advice of a conſiderable Reform of their Troops in the Dutch Service, according to a Reſolution of the States General of the 20th of laſt Month, wherein they urge a Neceſſity for ſo doing, as being obliged to reduce even a good Number of their own National Troops: This News has been received here with a general Diſſatisfaction, becauſe the ſaid Reform is ſaid to be contrary to a Capitulation made ſome Years ago between their High Mightineſſes and this State, wherein it was ſtipulated, that the whole Body of our Troops ſhould be kept on Foot even in Time of Peace. Letters from Milan of the 8th Inſtant ſay, the Governour of that Dutchy was gone to view Lodi, Cremona, and ſeveral other Places of that State; and that Sig. Molines, Great Inquiſitor of Spain, who was lately ſiezed there, was kept up ſo cloſe, that he was not ſuffered to receive any Viſits, nor had his Servants the Liberty of going out of the Caſtle to buy Neceſſaries without Guards. The Deputies of this State that returned hither lately from St. Gall, have made their Report to the Council of Two Hundred of what they did there, purſuant to their Commiſſion; and it appears by the Information they took at the Convent, with relation to the Diſorders that had been complained of, that what had been laid to the Charge of the Under-Bailiff's Son, who is a Citizen of this Place, was rather an Act of Indiſcretion proceeding from too much Curioſity, than a premeditated Deſign of robbing the Chapel of ſome Relicks, as the Papiſts gave out at firſt; and that the Bailiff himſelf, who is of Zurich, and who had the Keys of the Chapel and Choir where the Relicks were kept, was rather to blame, and ought to anſwer for what is miſſing, by Vertue of his Charge; the two Cantons aforeſaid having had no Hand in the Diſorders complained of. This Report has been referred to a Committee of Council, who are to draw up Minutes of what this Canton, in Conjunction with that of Zurich, intend to write to the Emperor, the Abbot of St. Gall, and others, for their Information, and in Juſtification of the two Cantons.

Caſſel, June 21. On the 17th General Poniatowski arrived here from Sweden: Being chaced by a Daniſh Frigate, he obliged the Maſter of the Veſſel he was in, to run her aground near Dantzick: He was ſeized at his Landing by a Party of Dragoons, and carried to a Town in the Nighbourhood of Dantzick, where ſome Muſcovites were quartered: An Officer of the King of Poland's being there, ſaid he knew him, and propoſed to ſend him directly to the King in Saxony; but upon the Aſſurances he gave that he was a Frenchman, and had never ſeen the Bailiff, the Muſcovite Officer who commanded in the Place, conveighed him ſafely out of the Town, becauſe he produced the Czar's Paſſport. On the 20th he ſet out for Deuxponts, the Reſidence of Staniſlaus.

Copenhagen, June 22. On the 13th Inſtant the Britiſh Merchant Ships with their Convoy proceeded up the Baltick from hence; and the Severn, a Britiſh Man of War, ſailed to cruiſe in the Cattegat. On the 17th the King of Denmark returned hither from a Seat of his on the Coaſt near the Point of Steffens, and to Day he is gone to Fredericksburg. Some Days ago his Majeſty was pleaſed to make four Knights of the Order of Danebrog, viz. Count Guldenſtein, Lieutenant-General Sponeck, Lieutenant-General Boiſſet, and M Gabel Secretary at War. Yeſterday came in Letters from Sir George Byng, who lies off the Iſland Hanoe; he has detached ſome Men of War to cruiſe along the Coaſt of Sweden.

Vienna, June 16. The laſt Letters from Hungary ſay, Prince Eugene marched with his Army the 9th Inſtant from the Camp at Futack